

No. 5127 號七十一百一千五第 日八初月三年戌甲治同 HONGKONG, THURSDAY, 25th APRIL, 1874. 四拜禮 號三十二月四英 港香 [PRICE \$24 PER MONTH.]

[PRICE \$2½ PER MONTH.

## Estimations.

ON THE CRICKET GROUND.

G. CHARRIER.....*Director and Proprietor;*  
JAS. DREMER.....*Business Manager.*

**PERFORMANCE EVERY NIGHT!**

**(THURSDAY) EVENING, April 23rd.**  
**NEW & ATTRACTIVE PROGRAMMES!**  
**NO NOVELTY, NO MORE DARING!**  
**MORE SENSATIONAL ACTS!!!!**

First time of the Grand  
Spectacular **QUINTUPLE TUMBLING LAUS II.**  
**QUINTUPLE** Adolphe Palomini, Theres Buiz,  
and Oliver and Mesdames Annette and  
Gives in Polish Costume, mounted on five  
horses, **QUINTUPLE** Tumbling, including **Four-**  
**with Spears, Swords and Pistolet.**

First time of the  
**GREAT EQUESTRIAN SPECTACLE.**  
**THE "SOLDIER OF SEDAN."** Exquisite  
Scene Act by Monsieur Henri Gaudier.  
The faithful Horse "Brilliant," and Messrs.  
Gaudier, Herbert, Wallace, and Signor Jozo  
and his horse.

First time of  
**EL CONQUISTADOR OMIGÓ,**  
the most wonderful and Terrible

the favourite. Clowns,

THE QUEEN OF THE ARENA,  
 Rita Belen Onda, in her Daring Act, with  
 Little Emille, and OTHER NOVELTIES.  
 Come early, and see the Grand Tournament,  
 and the Possibility of Admission as usual.

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**SATURDAY, APRIL 25th.**  
 AFTERNOON PERFORMANCE.  
 SMOKING STRICTLY PROHIBITED!!!  
 NOTICE!—All Bills against Signor

payment to the Busi  
every MONDAY

Lines 2 and 3 o'clock, at the Circus Office.  
**FOR MANILA.**  
 E Spanish Steamship  
**"LEONOR,"**  
 Main Echiquie, will be despatched for the  
 Port on **SATURDAY**, the 25th instant,  
 A.M.  
 For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**DOUGLAS LA PHRAIX & Co.**  
 611 - Hongkong, 23rd April, 1874.  
**TO SHANGHAI.**  
 E Russian Steamer  
**"RUSSIA,"**  
 Master, will have immediate despatch as  
 For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**WM. PUSPAU & Co.**

NOTICE.

R. H. KUHLMANN has been admitted  
a partner in our firm on the 1st January,  
1874.

K. REUSE & Co.  
618 Hongkong, 22nd April, 1874.

**NOTICE.**

THE PABIS are hereby informed that the  
Undersigned Shop has been established  
many years, solely dealing in FINE TSA,  
which is carefully fried, and selected by ex-  
perienced men in our country, from the various  
provinces. It contains no mixture. As some  
persons were supplied with a spurious mix-  
ture, they are requested to inspect our goods  
carefully, without which none will be genuine.  
YEE CHONG HOON,  
Honam, Canton  
No. 1, Hongkong, 23rd April, 1874.

RESPONSIBLE Married Women wishes  
to go to England, as companion or nurse  
for a lady, and to be engaged for a long  
period. Address "H. B., Daily Press Office,  
583, Hongkong, 17th April, 1874.

SEE A NEW BY

**MASTER, FROM LONDON, PENANG,  
AND SINGAPORE.**

**CONSIGNEES** of Goods by the above  
steamer are hereby notified that the Car-  
go is being dis-charge'd, landed, and stored at  
their risk into the Godowns of Messrs. J. B.  
FOX, SON & Co., whence delivery may be ob-  
tained.

Additional Cargo will be forwarded, unless  
notice to the contrary is given before 6 P.M.  
**-DAY.**

Goods remaining in store after the 30th inst.,  
will be subject to rent.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

Wakong, 23rd April

**GORDON CASTLE FROM LONDON  
AND SINGAPORE.**

His Steamer having arrived, Consignees of  
Goods are hereby informed that their  
Goods are being landed at their risk into the  
Wharf of Messrs. **LEWIS & NORTON & Co.,**  
Singapore. Consignees wishing to receive their Goods  
at the Wharf are at liberty to do so.  
Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless  
otherwise notified, at the rate of Freight given before  
NORON, 23rd inst.

**ALL CLAIMS** must be sent in to the Under-  
writers before the 30th instant, after which date  
no Cargo remaining undelivered will be subject  
to Claims.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods  
are sold off the Godown.

Parties of Lading will be compensated by  
**JOHN BUE & Co.,**  
Agents.

**616** Hongkong, 23rd April, 1874.

**S. S. HONGKONG, PARO A LONDON,  
PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.**

**CONSIGNES** of Goods by the above  
Steamer are hereby notified that the Cargo  
is being landed and stored at their risk into  
the Godown of Messrs. **J. S. HONG & CO.,**  
Singapore. The Goods are to be obtained.

Subject to rent. Cargo will be for

applied for by the Consignee before 6 P.M. 10  
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by  
SIEMSEN & Co.  
7d 608 Hongkong, 21st April, 1974.

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NOTICE.

TO CONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL CARGO

FROM LIVER  
ING Orders must

the Underigned not later than the 24th instant, for shipment past OLD FORT.  
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,  
Agents.  
44 606 Hongkong, 21st April, 1874.

WESTERN STEAMER TOHAIKATROPO  
WITH MAILBOX, FROM LONDON,  
PENANG, AND SINGAPORE.

CONSIGNEES of Goods by the above  
Steamer are hereby notified that the Cargo  
to be shipped is being discharged, landed, and stored  
at their risk, into the Godowns of Messrs. J. J.  
Doez, Son & Co., whence delivery may be  
obtained on application.

Special Cargo will be forwarded, unless in  
advance to the contrary is given before noon TO  
MORROW.

Cargo remaining in store after the 27th inst.  
will be subject to rent.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by  
Wm. PUSAT & Co., Agents.

885 Hongkong, 20th April, 1874.







Bellow, what had the defence alleged? Dr

most ingenious hypothesis, to the effect that

[illegible]

No change in Malwa.

**EXCHANGE.**

On LONDON.—  
 Bank Bills, on demand, 4/3  
 Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight, 4/3  
 Bank Bills, at 6 months' sight, 4/4  
 Credit at "London's" sight, 4/4  
 Documentary Bills, at month's  
 sight, 4/4  
 On Bombay.—Bank, 3 days' sight 222  
 On CALCUTTA.—Bank, 3 days' sight 222  
 On SWATOW.—Bank, 3 days' sight 724  
 Private, 30 days' sight 723

**SHARES.**

Kowkong and Shanghai Bank Shares—\$1  
 per cent. premium.  
 Union Insurance Society of Canton, new share  
 —\$50 per share premium.  
 China Traders' Insurance Company's Shares—  
 \$180 per share.  
 China and Japan Marine Insurance—110, 10  
 per share.  
 Chinese Insurance Company.—\$207 per share.  
 Hongkong & Insurance Company's Shares—  
 \$395 per share.  
 China Fire Insurance Company's Shares—\$18  
 per share.  
 Victoria Fire Insurance Company's Shares—  
 \$120 per share.  
 Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company's  
 Shares—\$9 per cent. discount.  
 Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamship Co.'s  
 Shares—\$74 per cent. premium.  
 Shanghai Steam Navigation Company's Shares—  
 115 per share.  
 Hongkong Gas Company's Shares—\$75 per  
 share.  
 Hongkong Hotel Company's Shares—\$50 per  
 cent. discount.  
 Indo-Chinese Sugar Company—\$94 per cent  
 discount.

SALES ON APRIL 22ND, 1874.  
As reported by Chinese.

*White Sugar*, 100 bags, at \$6.90, by *Sow-  
long* to travelling trader.  
*Fernisillo*, 100 bags, at \$9.65, by *Sow-  
long* to travelling trader.  
*Rapinwood*, 340 pieces, at \$1.65, by *Yee-  
ching* to local trader.  
*Kheifien*, 50 bags, at \$51.00, by *Hop-hing* to  
travelling trader.  
*Black Pepper*, 50 bags, at \$11.60, by *Ying-  
ching* to travelling trader.  
*Musrooms*, 22 pounds, at \$48.00, by *Ying-  
ching* to travelling trader.  
*White Pepper*, 50 bags, at \$10.50, by *Tung-  
mo* to travelling trader.  
*White Wax*, 3 pieces, at \$68.50, by *Kwong-  
chong* to travelling trader.  
*American Paper*, 200 bags, at \$1.85, by *Kwan-  
yue-yue* to local trader.  
*Teloua* Pans, 2,000 pieces, at \$1.65, by *Yint-  
long* to travelling trader.

**K** KRUPPS CAST STEEL WORKS  
 ESSEN (GERMANY)

SOLE AGENT FOR CHINA AND  
JAPAN,  
F. PEIL,  
1671, Hongkong, Shanghai, Cologne (Germany).

NOTICE TO MARINERS.  
No. 34.  
CHINA SEA.  
FOOCHOW DISTRICT.  
OCHSU ISLAND LIGHTHOUSE.

**N**OTICE is hereby given, that the works on the High or West Oakes Island have

been commenced.

The Illuminating Apparatus will be revolving Dioptric, of the First Order, showing twelve feet of one minute intervals.

The Light will be observed at about 250 feet above the level of the sea, and in clear weather, it should be visible from a distance of 24 nautical miles.

The Tower will be round, of stone, 85 feet high, with a total height from its base to the vane of 94 feet.

During the progress of the works, and till the exhibition of the Revolving Light, a temporary Dioptric fixed light of the Sixth Order will be shown, which in clear weather should be visible from a distance of 24 nautical miles.

Approximate position: — Longitude 124° 50' E.  
Latitude 19° 19' N.

By order of the Inspector General of Customs,  
DAVID DE HERRERA, *Inspector in Chief*  
*Engineers Office, Canton House,*  
Amoy, 21st March, 1874. [Im 470

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## Intimations.      Post-Office Notifications.

## Post-Office Notification

**A mail will close.**  
The Mails for Swatow, Amoy, and Foochow, on **Yessu**, will close at 11.30 A.M. to-day, the 23rd instant, instead of at the time previously notified.

**Y. M. S. Mail.**—For Steamers' Lanes, on Saturday, the 25th instant, at 6.30 A.M.

**MAILS BY THE "FRENCH PACKET."**  
The French Mail Packet, the "ADYDE" will be despatched on **THURSDAY**, the 23rd instant, at noon, with the Mails—

To and through the United Kingdom via **Swatow, Amoy, Hongkong, Canton, Shanghai, Yokohama, Kobe, and Japan**; to **France** and other Continental Ports, via **Swatow, Amoy, Hongkong, Canton, Saigon, Singapore, Galle, Australia and New Zealand**; and **Aden, Seychelles, Réunion and Mauritius, Swatow, Amoy, and Alexandria.**

Office hours will be open for the reception of Ordinary Letters, Newspapers, Books, &c., until 11 A.M. on the 23rd instant, after which no Letters can be received.

Money orders on any of the Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom will be granted until 5 P.M. on the 22nd instant.

### Vessels on the Berth

FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOOCHEE.  
THE departure of the Steamship  
"YESSO,"  
for the above Ports, is POSTPONED  
TO-DAY, the 23rd instant, at noon.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
DOUGLAS LAFFRAIK & Co  
- 34 608 Hongkong, 21st April, 1874.

FOR SAIGON.  
THE British Steamer  
"REGALIA,"  
Captain Charles Hargrave, will be despatched  
as above TO-MORROW, the 24th inst., at 4 P.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
AM KONG,  
Kwang Hing Shon  
67, Praya W.  
5d 580 Hongkong, 20th April, 1874.

FOR SEANGHAI  
THE Steamship  
"RONGKONG,"  
Captain Comley, will have immediate despatch  
as above.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
HIS ASSOCIATE & CO.  
607 Hongkong, 22nd April, 1874.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FOR SHANGHAI,  
*Taking Cargo and Passengers at through rates*  
HANKOW, NINGPO, and PORTS in  
JAPAN.  
THE Company's Steamship

"GLAUCOUS"  
will be despatched on or about the 25th inst.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE  
51 604 Hongkong, 21st April, 1874.

FOR SHANGHAI, YOKOHAMA, HIOGO  
AND NAGASAKI.  
THE Russian Steamer

"TCHIKATOFF."  
Witt, Master, will have immediate despatch  
above.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
WAR, FUSTAD & Co.,  
if 598 Hongkong, 20th April, 1874.

NOTICE

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES  
MARITIMES.  
PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANÇAIS.

THE Company's Steamship

"VOLGA."

until 10 A.M. on the 23rd instant.

F. W. MITCHELL,  
Postmaster General.

General Post Office,  
Hongkong, 10th April, 1874.

**MAILS BY THE "ENGLISH PACKET."**  
The English Contract Packet, "THE ORINA,"  
will be despatched on the usual Mails for  
Europe, &c., on SATURDAY, the 25th instant,  
at noon.

Money Orders on any of the Money Order  
Offices in the United Kingdom will be granted  
until 5 P.M. on 25th instant.

The Post-Office will be open until 6 P.M. on  
the 24th instant.

Letters, &c., may be posted during the night  
in the box left open for their reception.

Letters for registration will be received until  
10 A.M. on the 25th instant.

Letters may be posted until 10 A.M. on the  
25th instant, without late fee.

Letters for the 26th inst. sent by A.M. on the 25th  
instant, will not be forwarded unless the Late  
Fee of 18 cents each as well as the postage is  
prepared.

The latest time for posting Letters at this  
Office is 11 A.M., and for Newspapers, Books,  
&c. Patterns 10 A.M. on the 25th instant.

Letters (but Letters only) addressed to  
the

The United Kingdom and British Colonies, and the Colonies of the United States, may be posted on board the Puckney, *at the rate of 2s. 6d. per cwt. to the time of sailing*, on payment of a *Rate Fee* of 4s. cents each in addition to the postage.

F. W. MITCHELL,  
*Postmaster General*

General Post Office,  
Hongkong, 15th April 1874.

It is hereby notified that henceforward the postage on letters addressed to Denmark, when forwarded via Southampton, will be 2s. cents per half-ounce, prepayment optional. Unpaid letters will be subject to an additional charge on delivery.

F. W. MITCHELL,  
*Postmaster General*

General Post Office,  
Hongkong, 22nd February, 1873.

It is hereby notified that the rate of postage on chargeable baggage on *Letters* addressed to the United Kingdom, and to places beyond the United Kingdom, when forwarded by French Packet, will be the same as those chargeable on Letters forwarded by British Packet via Brindisi.

F. W. MITCHELL,  
*Postmaster General*

General Post Office,  
Hongkong, 29th April, 1872.

The Post Office of Victoria (Australia) have given notice to the General Post Office in London that articles of Jewellery received in that Colony are chargeable with Customs Duties. The undersigned considers it necessary to make this Regulation known to the Public, and to the Colonies.

Captain F. BERNARD, will be dispatched for  
YOKOHAMA  
shortly after the arrival of the next Free  
Mail.  
C. BERTHARD, *Principal Agent*  
597 Hongkong, 20th April, 1874.

NOTICES.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES  
MARITIMES  
PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANÇAIS.

THE Company's Steamship  
"TIGRE",  
Captain —, will be dispatched for  
YOKOHAMA  
shortly after the arrival from Europe.  
G. BERTHARD, *Principal Agent*  
598 Hongkong, 20th April, 1874.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA.  
THE P. & O. S. Co.'s Steamship  
"MADRAS",  
will leave for the above place shortly after  
the arrival of the next English Mail.  
A. Mulver,

and are not to be sent through the Post as liable  
 for their contents, to be forfeited.  
 F. W. MITCHELL  
*Postmaster General*  
 General Post Office,  
 Hongkong, 22nd January, 1878.

It is hereby notified for general information  
 that the Postage on Letters addressed to No  
 way, when forwarded via *Southampton*, to  
 be forwarded by 36 cents per copy. And com  
 munication may either be in advance, or it ma  
 be left to be collected on delivery of the Letters.  
 Unpaid Letters will be subject to an additiona  
 charge on delivery.  
 F. W. MITCHELL  
*Postmaster General*  
 General Post Office,  
 Hongkong, 23rd January, 1878.

It is hereby notified for general informatio  
 that on and after the 1st August next, di  
 rected to the United Kingdom by Express Order  
 issued upon the United Kingdom at Hongkon  
 Shanghai, and Yokohama will be as follows  
 18 cents.

On sums not exceeding 23	.....	18 cents.
Above 23 and not exceeding 25	.....	38 "
Above 25 and not exceeding 27	.....	58 "
Above 27 and not exceeding 29	.....	78 "
Above 29 and not exceeding 31	.....	98 "

**P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,** *Superintendent*  
Hongkong, 17th April, 1874. [57]

**STRAIT TO SHANGHAI,**  
(Taking Cargo at through rates for NAGASAKI  
and HIOGO.)

**THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship**

**"DELTA"**  
will leave for the above place about 24 hrs  
after the arrival of the next English Mail.

**A. M. NAYLOR,**  
Superintendent.

**P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,**  
Hongkong, 17th April, 1874. [58]

**GOORAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.**

**FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.**

**THE COMPANY'S Steamship**

**"OLYMPIUS"**  
will be despatched on or about the 4th of  
May Insurance rates accepted on behalf of the  
Company as under—

On the 27<sup>th</sup> of all risks, 18<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> % F.P.A.  
on Bill 15<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> %

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**

General Post Office,  
Hongkong, 28th July, 1870.

It is hereby notified for general information that, the Postage (which must be paid in advance) upon letters addressed to France, to the Island, will henceforward be as follows, viz. :—

When forwarded via	42 cents each half-ounce
When forwarded via	36 cents each half-ounce
When forwarded via	36 cents each half-ounce
When forwarded via	36 cents each half-ounce

F. W. MITCHELL,  
Postmaster General.

General Post Office,  
Hongkong, 28th July, 1870.

Arrangements having been made under which Mails for London arriving at Suva from the United Kingdom will be forwarded to that destination via Brindisi, it is hereby notified that the rates of postage, which must be paid in advance, on correspondence addressed to the United Kingdom so forwarded, will be as follows, viz. :—

144 599 Hongkong, 21st April, 1874.  
**THE 41 American Barque**  
**"WINDWARD,"**  
 Capt. Stanger, will load here for the ab-  
 ove, and will have quick despatch.  
 For Freight, apply to  
**JOSEPH E. GEDDON & Co**  
 if 521, Hongkong, 20th April, 1874.  
**FOR MELBOURNE AND SYDNEY.**  
**"THE 41 Clipper Barque**  
**"BURTON STARR,"**  
 Capt. Orpin, will have immediate despatch  
 for the above ports.  
 For Freight or Passage, apply to  
**JOSEPH E. GEDDON & Co**  
 if 521, Hongkong, 17th April, 1874.  
**FOR SAN FRANCISCO.**  
*(To follow the American Ship "Malay.")*  
**"THE 41 Clipper Ship**  
**"ORACLE,"**  
 Erquiaga, Master, will have early despatch  
 for the above.  
 For Freight, apply to  
**RUSSELL & Co**

For Letters..... 24 cents per pound 4 ounces each.  
 For Newspapers..... 10 cents per pound 4 ounces each.  
 For Books and ~~not~~ <sup>small</sup> second..... 2 " 6 "  
 Patterns..... every additional " 10 "  
 F. W. MITCHELL,  
 Postmaster General.

General Post Office,  
 Hongkong, 22nd December, 1871.

It is hereby notified that Letters addressed to France may be sent either paid or unpaid at the rate of postage thereon, and that the Post Office Prizes Current, Newspaper and Books cannot be prepaid.

The rate of postage thereon on  
 Letters addressed to France per French Pocket is..... 12 cents  
 For British Pocket when marked with..... 18 "  
 For British Pocket when marked with..... 12 "  
 Alexandria and Marseilles..... 12 "  
 F. W. MITCHELL,  
 Postmaster General.

General Post Office,  
 Hongkong, 2nd April, 1872.

It is hereby notified that henceforward the

At 675, Hongkong, 18th April, 1874.

THE "FOE MANILA"  
The Spanish Barque  
"MARIA Y VICENTA,"  
Captain Santa Coloma, will have immedi-  
ately despatched at above.  
For Freight or Passage, apply to  
BENEDICTO & Co  
at 608, Hongkong, 2nd April, 1874.

THE "FUE HAMBURG."  
The German Bark  
"ALBATROS,"  
Captain P. Hansen, will load here and  
Whampoa for the above port, and will be  
ready to receive cargo on board.  
For Freight, apply to  
VOGLER, HAGEDORN & Co  
at 478 Hongkong, 28th March, 1874.

of postage which must be paid in advance chargeable on Packets of printed papers or patterns of light weight sent from Hongkong to the United Kingdom by the United States Packet via San Francisco, will be as follows:

For a packet not exceeding 1 ounce in weight.....	2 cents
For a packet above 1 ounce not exceeding 3 ounces.....	3 "
For a packet above 3 ounces not exceeding 5 ounces.....	8 "
For a packet above 5 ounces not exceeding 8 ounces.....	8 "
For a packet above 8 ounces not exceeding 16 ounces.....	8 "

and eight cents for every additional four ounces.

These rates apply to Printed Circulars, Price Lists, Market Reports, and all printed papers other than Newspapers, as well as to Books and Trade Patterns or Samples.

J. W. M. BELL,  
Postmaster General.

General Post Office,  
Hongkong, 12th April, 1870.



